पर प्रति यात्री अधिक से अधिक 100 किलोग्राम की मात्रा तक चांदी का आयात कर सकते हैं।

(ग) 14 फरवरी, 1993 तक की अवधि के दौरान, लगभग 20 मीटरी टन चांदी का आयात किया गया है जिससे लगभग एक करोड़ रुपये की राजस्व प्राप्त हुई है।

Pending cases before Central Excise and Customs Tribunal

71. SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of cases on which a final hearing has taken place but the judgement of Central Excise and Customs Tribunal benches located in Delhi is still pending for more than three months;

(b) whether it is a fact that more than 500 such cases are pending before the President and Vice-President each, on which hearing has been completed but final judgement has not been given;

(c) what are the reasons for inordinate delay in deciding such cases; and

(d) whether Government will take steps to ensure that judgements on such cases are given within three months?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI M. V. CHANDRASHEKHAR MURTHY): (a) 82 cases.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) The Tribunal being a quasi-judicial and final fact finding body, has to carefully consider the technical and legal issues raised by the parties and pass speaking orders.

(d) The question of stipulating a time limit for delivering judgements after completion of hearings is being examined

Pending case of Jaipur Udyog Ltd.

72. SHRI SUBRAMANIAN SWAMY: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Jaipur Udyog Ltd. was a sick unit which owed money to the State Bank of India;

(b) whether any settlement has been reached on the question for recovery of loan extended to this company by the State Bank of India;

(c) whether the said unit has been privatised, and if so, what are the details of the purchaser;

(d) whether the matter is in any way pending before the BIFR; and

(e) if so, the stage at which the matter is pending at present?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (DR. ABRAR AHMED): (a) The State Bank of India (SBI) has reported that M/s. Jaipur Udyog Ltd. (JUL) is a sick industrial company under Section 15(2) of the Sick Industrial Companies (Special Provisions) Act, 1985. The present outstandings due to the SBI are Rs. 808 lakhs.

(b) and (c) The BIFR sanctioned a scheme for rehabilitation of JUL on 21.4.1992. Under the scheme, the management and ownership of the company was proposed to be taken over by Gannon Dunkerlay and Company Ltd. (GDCL) as the new promoters, who were to bring in Rs. 607 lakhs upfront, of which 50 per cent was to be brought in immediately on the sanction of the scheme. However, the new promoters have not so far brought in any contribution and so the scheme has not been implemented.

(d) and (e) Since the GDCL have not brought in the necessary contribution,